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Michael Dame
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Monday, June 08, 2015

Dear Mr. Dame,

The Colorado Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management's (DHSEM) requests to waive the 20% non-federal match proportionality requirement for the Quarterly Performance Progress Report for the State and Local Implementation Grant Program (SLIGP).

While Colorado Q1 2015 non-federal match amount was 22%, we anticipate that recent changes to the eligible costs and activities allowed within the SLIGP have will create challenges for Colorado to keep meeting the 20% minimum required cost match for future quarterly reports. While we are confident the overall 20% non-federal match requirement will be met by the close of the performance period of December 31, 2017, we would like to request a waiver in case we cannot meet the proportionality requirement for each quarter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ezzie Michaels".

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